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PATENTS

RELEVANCE

U.S. Patent No. 6,357,473

Discloses a one way anti-backflow valve.

U.S. Patent No. 5,419,739

Discloses a flap-type pressure relief valve and method of forming the same.

U.S. Patent No. 5,601,117

Discloses a flap-type pressure relief valve.

U.S. Patent No. 5,904,618

Discloses a pressure relief valve.

U.S. Patent No. 5,355,910

Discloses a dual component flap.

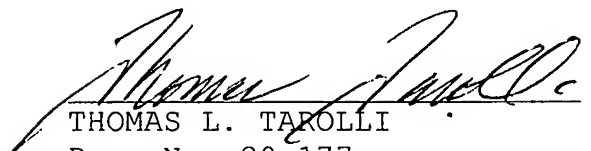
U.S. Patent No. 5,105,849

Discloses a body relief valve flap.

U.S. Patent No. 6,135,543

Discloses an air exhaust and water management system for a motor vehicle.

Respectfully submitted,


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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB CLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	6,357,473	3/02	Porter, et al			
	5,419,739	5/95	Lewis			
	5,601,117	2/97	Lewis, et al			
	5,904,618	5/99	Lewis			
	5,355,910	10/94	Gies, et al.			
	5,105,849	4/92	Clough			
	6,135,543	10/00	Esposito, et al			

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